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**Course Code: CS361**

**Course Name: SOFT COMPUTING**

Max. Marks: 100

Duration: 3 Hours

**PART A**

*Answer all questions, each carries 3 marks.*

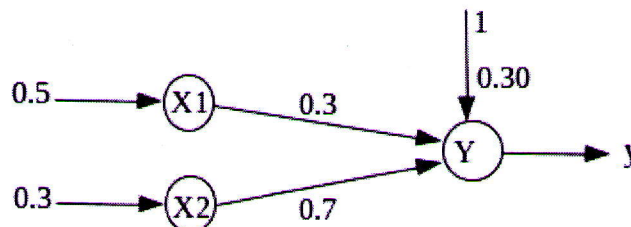
Marks

- 1 Differentiate between the problem solving strategies: Soft computing and Hard computing. (3)
- 2 What is the role of activation function in Artificial Neural Network (ANN)? Write and explain any two activation functions of ANN. (3)
- 3 Draw the architecture of Adaline Network. What is the training rule for Adaline network? (3)
- 4 Explain the training algorithm of Perceptron network. (3)

**PART B**

*Answer any two full questions, each carries 9 marks.*

- 5 a) Implement AND function using Mc Culloch-Pitts neuron. Use binary data. (6)
- b) Calculate the net input to the neuron Y for the network shown in figure. (3)



- 6 a) Explain the five basic architectures of ANN based on connection. (5)
- b) Draw and explain the architecture of Back Propagation Network. (4)
- 7 Implement the logic function OR with binary inputs and bipolar targets using perceptron network up to two epochs. (9)

**PART C**

*Answer all questions, each carries 3 marks.*

- 8 Explain the concept of set membership in Fuzzy Logic. Illustrate it with an example. (3)
- 9 What is Fuzzy equivalence relation? Explain. (3)

- 10 What are the features of fuzzy membership function? Explain. (3)
- 11 For the discrete fuzzy set  $\underline{A}$ , defined on universe  $X = \{a, b, c, d, e, f\}$  find  $\lambda$ -cut sets for the values of  $\lambda = 1, 0.7$  and  $0$  (3)

$$\underline{A} = \left\{ \frac{1}{a} + \frac{0.8}{b} + \frac{0.7}{c} + \frac{0.4}{d} + \frac{0.2}{e} + \frac{0}{f} \right\}$$

#### PART D

*Answer any two full questions, each carries 9 marks.*

- 12 a) Perform union, intersection, complement and difference over the given fuzzy sets  $\underline{A}$  and  $\underline{B}$ : (6)

$$\underline{A} = \left\{ \frac{1}{3} + \frac{0.3}{5} + \frac{0.4}{7} + \frac{0.2}{9} \right\}$$

$$\underline{B} = \left\{ \frac{.5}{3} + \frac{0.4}{5} + \frac{0.1}{7} + \frac{1}{9} \right\}$$

- b) Find the Fuzzy Cartesian product of following fuzzy sets  $\underline{A}$  and  $\underline{B}$ : (3)

$$\underline{A} = \left\{ \frac{.2}{x_1} + \frac{0.5}{x_2} + \frac{1}{x_3} \right\}$$

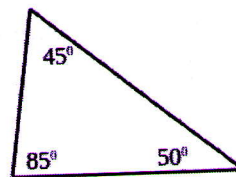
$$\underline{B} = \left\{ \frac{.1}{y_1} + \frac{0.7}{y_2} \right\}$$

- 13 a) Compute Max Min composition of the two fuzzy relations  $\underline{R}$  and  $\underline{S}$ . (5)

$$\underline{R} = \begin{bmatrix} .4 & .3 \\ .2 & .8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\underline{S} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & .2 & .3 \\ .5 & .4 & .7 \end{bmatrix}$$

- b) Consider the given fuzzy triangle. Infer membership values for it in triangle types Isosceles and Equilateral. (4)



- 14 What is defuzzification? Explain any six defuzzification methods. (9)

**PART E**

*Answer any four full questions, each carries 10 marks.*

- 15 a) What all can be used in fuzzy proposition to extend the reasoning capability of fuzzy logic? Explain. (5.5)
- b) Define the terms Linguistic Variable, Linguistic Hedge and Fuzzy Logic Proposition. Give one example for each. (4.5)
- 16 a) Explain the techniques for decomposition of compound linguistic rules. (6)
- b) Explain the techniques for aggregation of fuzzy rules. (4)
- 17 a) Draw the block diagram of Fuzzy Inference System and explain its working principle. (5)
- b) What are the different types of Neuro Fuzzy Hybrid systems? Explain. (5)
- 18 a) What is Genetic Algorithm? Draw the flow chart of Genetic Algorithm and explain the steps involved. (6)
- b) Explain any four encoding operators of Genetic Algorithm with example. (4)
- 19 What is the role of selection process in Genetic Algorithm? Explain any five selection techniques. (10)
- 20 a) Draw the block diagram of Genetic Neuro Hybrid systems and explain its properties. (5)
- b) Draw and Explain Genetic Fuzzy Rule Based system architecture. (5)

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